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Title EXPRESSION OF BIOLOGICALLY ACTIVE POLYPEPTIDES IN DUCKWEED

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- 1. The Filing Fee has been calculated as shown below:
- 2. Applicant claims Small Entity Status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

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| BASIC FEE  |           |        |              |             | \$ 375             |               | \$ 0            |  |
| TOTAL CLAIMS:  | 45 - 20 = |        | 25           | X           | 9 = \$ 225         | x 1           | x 18 = \$0      |  |
| INDEP CLAIMS:  | 6 - 3     |        | 3            | X           | 42 = \$ 126        | x 8           | 4 = \$0         |  |
| [ ]MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS PRESENTED                                   |           |        | +140 = \$ -0 |             | +280 = \$          |               |                 |  |
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- $\boxtimes$ A check in the amount of \$ 726.00 for the filing fee is enclosed.
- The above filing fee will be paid along with Applicant(s) Response to the Notice to File Missing Parts.
- 3.  $\boxtimes$ Specification; Total Pages 49
- 4. 冈 2 Sheets of Drawing(s) (35 USC 113)
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      - DELETION OF INVENTOR(S) Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) & 1.33(b).
- Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76 6.
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